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DECISION

Obligor:

Thomas J. Clark

T.J. Clark & Company

P.O. Box 658

St. George, UT 84771

Financial Institution:

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

MAC A0195-212

One Front St., 21st Floor

San Francisco, CA 94111

Plan Serial No.: UTU-69856 Surface Management Bond

Replacement Bond Security Required

Effective September 30, 1997, this office accepted a \$20,000.00 Irrevocable Letter of Credit (LOC)(NRS394401) to secure a personal surface management bond filed by the above obligor. The acceptance decision stated: "The LOC will continue indefinitely in the absence of a notice from the financial institution of its determination not to renew the letter. Such a notice must be received in this office at least 90 days prior to the original expiration date of September 29, 1998, or the automatic extension dates falling on the same day in subsequent years."

On June 11, 2012, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) received a notification from the financial institution named above that it will not renew Letter of Credit No. NRS394401. The expiry date is September 29, 2012.

Therefore, you are hereby requested to provide a replacement security in the amount of \$20,000.00 at least 30 days prior to the letter of credit's original expiry date, which is August 30, 2012.

In accordance with regulations at 43 CFR 3809, if a replacement security is not received in this office on or before August 30, 2012, this office will demand that the financial institution named above pay the full amount of Letter of Credit No. NRS394401 to insure continuing coverage of the obligor named above. Such funds will be retained in our suspense account, with no interest accruing to the obligor, until the bond coverage is no longer required or until the obligor furnishes another replacement security.

If there are any questions prior to providing this replacement security, please contact Opie Abeyta at (801) 539-4123.

Roger L. Bankert

Chief, Branch of Minerals

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cc: Christopher Conrad, Price Field Office (UTG020)

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